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Amend Senate File 509 as follows:
   2 \pm 1. By striking everything after the enacting
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                REVISED UNIFORM ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT
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   6 Section 1. Section 142C.1, Code 2007, is amended 7 by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof
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   8 the following:
         142C.1 SHORT TITLE.
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         This chapter shall be known and may be cited as the
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  11 "Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act".
         Sec. 2. Section 142C.2, Code 2007, is amended by
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  13 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the
  14 following:
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         142C.2 DEFINITIONS.
         As used in this chapter, unless the context
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  17 otherwise requires:
       1. "Adult" means an individual who is eighteen
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  19 years of age or older.
  20 2. "Agent" means an individual who meets any of 21 the following conditions:
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        a. Is authorized to make health care decisions on
  23 the principal's behalf by a durable power of attorney 24 for health care pursuant to chapter 144B.
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         b. Is expressly authorized to make an anatomical
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  26 gift on the principal's behalf by any other record
  27 signed by the principal.
        3. "Anatomical gift" or "gift" means a donation of
  29 all or part of the human body effective after the
  30 donor's death, for the purposes of transplantation,
  31 therapy, research, or education.
32 4. "Decedent" means a deceased individual whose
  33 body or part is or may be the source of an anatomical 34 gift and includes a stillborn infant.
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             "Disinterested witness" means a witness other
  36 than the spouse, child, parent, sibling, grandchild,
  37 grandparent, or guardian of the individual who makes, 38 amends, revokes, or refuses to make an anatomical
  39 gift, or any other adult who exhibited special care
  40 and concern for the individual. "Disinterested
  41 witness" does not include a person who may receive an
  42 anatomical gift pursuant to section 142C.5.
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       6. "Document of gift" means a donor card or other
  44 record used to make an anatomical gift, including a
  45 statement or symbol on a driver's license or
1 46 identification card, or an entry in a donor registry.
  7. "Donor" means an individual whose body or part the subject of an anatomical gift.
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        8. "Donor registry" means a database that contains
  50 records of anatomical gifts and amendments of 1 anatomical gifts.
             "Driver's license" means a license or permit
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   3 issued by the state department of transportation to
   4 operate a vehicle, whether or not conditions are 5 attached to the license or permit.
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         10. "Eye bank" means a person that is licensed,
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   7 accredited, or regulated under federal or state law to
   8 engage in the recovery, screening, testing,
  9 processing, storage, or distribution of human eyes or 10 portions of human eyes.
         11. "Forensic pathologist" means a pathologist who
  12 is further certified in the subspecialty of forensic
  13 pathology by the American board of pathology.
  14 12. "Guardian" means a person appointed by a court 15 to make decisions regarding the support, care,
  16 education, health, or welfare of an individual, but
  17 does not include a guardian ad litem.
18 13. "Hospital" means a hospital licensed under
  19 chapter 135B, or a hospital licensed, accredited, or
  20 approved under federal law or the laws of any other
  21 state, and includes a hospital operated by the federal
  22 government, a state, or a political subdivision of a
 23 state, although not required to be licensed under 24 state laws.
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"Identification card" means a nonoperator's 2 26 identification card issued by the state department of 2 27 transportation pursuant to section 321.190.

"Iowa donor network" means the nonprofit 29 organization certified by the centers for Medicare and 30 Medicaid services of the United States department of 31 health and human services as the single organ 32 procurement agency serving the state and which also 33 serves as the tissue recovery agency for the state.
34 16. "Iowa donor registry" means the Iowa donor

35 registry administered by the Iowa donor network. 36 17. "Know" means to have actual knowledge.

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- "Medical examiner" means an individual who is 18. 38 appointed as a medical examiner pursuant to section 39 331.801 or 691.5.
 - 19. "Minor" means an individual who is less than
- 41 eighteen years of age.
 42 20. "Organ procurement organization" means a 43 person designated by the United States secretary of 44 health and human services as an organ procurement 45 organization.
- 21. "Parent" means a parent whose parental rights 47 have not been terminated.
- 22. "Part" means an organ, an eye, or tissue of a 48 49 human being, but does not include the whole body of a 50 human being.
 - 23. "Pathologist" means a licensed physician who is certified in anatomic or clinical pathology by the 3 American board of pathology.
 - "Person" means person as defined in section 24. 5 4.1.
- 25. "Physician" means an individual authorized to 7 practice medicine and surgery or osteopathy and 8 surgery under the laws of any state.
 - 26. "Procurement organization" means an eye bank,
- 10 organ procurement organization, or tissue bank.
 11 27. "Prospective donor" means an individual who is 12 dead or near death and has been determined by a 13 procurement organization to have a part that could be 14 medically suitable for transplantation, therapy, 15 research, or education, but does not include an 16 individual who has made a refusal.
- "Reasonably available" means able to be 18 contacted by a procurement organization without undue 19 effort and willing and able to act in a timely manner 20 consistent with existing medical criteria necessary 21 for the making of an anatomical gift.
- "Recipient" means an individual into whose 29. 23 body a decedent's part has been transplanted or is 24 intended for transplant.
- 25 30. "Record" means information that is inscribed 26 on a tangible medium or that is stored in an 27 electronic or other medium and is retrievable in 28 perceivable form.
- "Refusal" means a record created pursuant to 31. 30 section 142C.3 that expressly states an individual's 31 intent to prohibit other persons from making an
- 32 anatomical gift of the individual's body or part.
 33 32. "Sign" means to do any of the following with 34 the present intent to authenticate or adopt a record:
 - a. Execute or adopt a tangible symbol.
 - b. Attach to or logically associate with the
- 37 record an electronic symbol, sound, or process.
 38 33. "State" means any state of the United States,
 39 the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the United
 40 States Virgin Islands, or any territory or insular 41 possession subject to the jurisdiction of the United 42 States.
- "Technician" means an individual determined to 34. 44 be qualified to remove or process parts by an 45 appropriate organization that is licensed, accredited, 46 or regulated under federal or state law and includes 47 an enucleator.
- "Tissue" means a portion of the human body 35. 49 other than an organ or an eye, but does not include 50 blood unless the blood is donated for the purpose of 1 research or education.
- "Tissue bank" means a person that is licensed, 36. 3 accredited, or regulated under federal or state law to 4 engage in the recovery, screening, testing, 5 processing, storage, or distribution of tissue.

"Transplant hospital" means a hospital that 7 furnishes organ transplants and other medical and 8 surgical specialty services required for the care of 9 transplant patients.

4 10 Section 142C.3, Code 2007, is amended by Sec. 3. 11 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 4 12 following:

PERSONS WHO MAY MAKE == MANNER OF MAKING == 142C.3 4 14 AMENDING OR REVOKING == REFUSAL TO MAKE ANATOMICAL 4 15 GIFT BEFORE DONOR'S DEATH == PRECLUSIVE EFFECT.

- WHO MAY MAKE. Subject to subsection 5, an 4 17 anatomical gift of a donor's body or part may be made 18 during the life of the donor for the purposes of 19 transplantation, therapy, research, or education in 20 the manner prescribed in subsection 2 by any of the 4 21 following:
 - The donor if the donor is any of the following: a.

(1)An adult.

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(3) A minor, if the minor is authorized under 26 state law to apply for a driver's license or 27 identification card because the minor is at least 14 28 years of age, and the minor authorizes a statement or 29 symbol indicating an anatomical gift on a driver's 30 license, identification card, or donor registry entry 31 with the signed approval of a parent or guardian.

b. An agent of the donor, unless the durable power 33 of attorney for health care or other record prohibits 34 the agent from making the anatomical gift.

c. A parent of the donor, if the donor is an 36 unemancipated minor.

The guardian of the donor. d.

2. MANNER OF MAKING.

A donor may make an anatomical gift by any of а. 40 the following means:

(1) By authorizing a statement or symbol 4 42 indicating that the donor has made an anatomical gift 43 to be imprinted on the donor's driver's license or 4 44 identification card.

(2) In a will.(3) During a t

During a terminal illness or injury of the 47 donor, by any form of communication addressed to at 48 least two adults, at least one of whom is a 49 disinterested witness.

(4) As provided in paragraph "b".

(1) A donor or other person authorized to make b. 2 an anatomical gift under subsection 1 may make a gift 3 by a donor card or other record signed by the donor or 4 other person making the gift or by authorizing that a 5 statement or symbol indicating that the donor has made 6 an anatomical gift be included on the donor registry.

(2) If the donor or other person is physically 8 unable to sign a record, the record may be signed by 9 another individual at the direction of the donor or 10 other person and shall meet all of the following 11 requirements:

(a) Be witnessed by at least two adults, at least 13 one of whom is a disinterested witness, who have 14 signed at the request of the donor or other person.

(b) State that the record has been signed and 16 witnessed as provided in subparagraph subdivision (a).

c. Revocation, suspension, expiration, or 18 cancellation of a driver's license or identification 19 card upon which an anatomical gift is indicated shall 20 not invalidate the gift.

d. An anatomical gift made by will takes effect 22 upon the donor's death whether or not the will is 23 probated. Invalidation of the will after the donor's 24 death does not invalidate the gift.

3. AMENDING OR REVOKING GIFT BEFORE DONOR'S DEATH.

Subject to subsection 5, a donor or other a. 27 person authorized to make an anatomical gift under 28 subsection 1 may amend or revoke an anatomical gift by 29 any of the following means:

(1)A record signed by any of the following:

(a) The donor.

(b) The other person authorized to make an 33 anatomical gift.

(c) Subject to paragraph "b", another individual 35 acting at the direction of the donor or the other 36 authorized person if the donor or other person is

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(2) A later=executed document of gift that amends 5 39 or revokes a previous anatomical gift or portion of an

40 anatomical gift, either expressly or by inconsistency.
41 b. A record signed pursuant to paragraph "a", 42 subparagraph (1), subparagraph subdivision (c), shall 43 comply with all of the following:

- (1) Be witnessed by at least two adults, at least 45 one of whom is a disinterested witness, who have 46 signed at the request of the donor or the other 47 authorized person.
- (2) State that the record has been signed and 49 witnessed as provided in subparagraph (1).
- c. Subject to subsection 5, a donor or other 1 person authorized to make an anatomical gift under 2 subsection 1 may revoke an anatomical gift by the 3 destruction or cancellation of the document of gift, 4 or the portion of the document of gift used to make 5 the gift, with the intent to revoke the gift.
- 6 d. A donor may amend or revoke an anatomical gift 7 that was not made in a will by any form of 8 communication during a terminal illness or injury 9 addressed to at least two adults, at least one of whom 10 is a disinterested witness.
- e. A donor who makes an anatomical gift in a will 12 may amend or revoke the gift in the manner provided 13 for amendment or revocation of wills or as provided in 14 paragraph "a"
 - 4. REFUSAL TO MAKE.
- a. An individual may refuse to make an anatomical 17 gift of the individual's body or part by any of the 18 following means:
 - (1) A record signed by any of the following:
- (a) The individual.
 (b) Subject to paragraph "b", another individual 22 acting at the direction of the individual if the 23 individual is physically unable to sign the record.
- The individual's will, whether or not the will 25 is admitted to probate or invalidated after the 26 individual's death.
- (3) Any form of communication made by the 28 individual during the individual's terminal illness or 29 injury addressed to at least two adults, at least one 30 of whom is a disinterested witness.
- b. A record signed pursuant to paragraph "a", 32 subparagraph (1), subparagraph subdivision (b), shall 33 comply with all of the following:
- (1) Be witnessed by at least two adults, at least 35 one of whom is a disinterested witness, who have 36 signed at the request of the individual.
- (2) State that the record has been signed and 38 witnessed as provided in subparagraph (1).
- c. An individual who has made a refusal may amend 40 or revoke the refusal in accordance with any of the 41 following:
- (1) In the manner provided in paragraph "a" for 43 making a refusal.
- 44 (2) By subsequently making an anatomical gift 45 pursuant to subsection 2 that is inconsistent with the 46 refusal.
- 47 (3) By destroying or canceling the record 48 evidencing the refusal, or the portion of the record 49 used to make the refusal, with the intent to revoke 50 the refusal.
- d. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 5, 2 paragraph "h", in the absence of an express, contrary 3 indication by the individual set forth in the refusal, 4 an individual's unrevoked refusal to make an 5 anatomical gift of the individual's body or part 6 prohibits all other persons from making an anatomical 7 gift of the individual's body or part.
 - PRECLUSIVE EFFECT.
- DONOR GIFT OR AMENDMENT == SUBSEQUENT ACTIONS a. 10 BY OTHERS PROHIBITED. Except as otherwise provided in 11 paragraph "g", and subject to paragraph "f", in the 12 absence of a contrary indication by the donor, a 13 person other than the donor is prohibited from making, 14 amending, or revoking an anatomical gift of a donor's 15 body or part if the donor made an anatomical gift of 16 the donor's body or part under subsection 2 or an 7 17 amendment to an anatomical gift of the donor's body or

7 18 part under subsection 3. b. DONOR REVOCATION NOT A REFUSAL. A donor's 7 20 revocation of an anatomical gift of the donor's body 21 or part under subsection 3 is not a refusal and does 22 not prohibit another person specified in subsection 1

23 or section 142C.4 from making an anatomical gift of 24 the donor's body or part under subsection 2 or section 25 142C.4.

GIFT ON AMENDMENT BY ANOTHER == SUBSEQUENT 26 $27\ \text{ACTIONS}$ BY OTHERS PROHIBITED. If a person other than 28 the donor makes an unrevoked anatomical gift of the 29 donor's body or part under subsection 2, or an 30 amendment to an anatomical gift of the donor's body or 31 part under subsection 3, another person may not make, 32 amend, or revoke the gift of the donor's body or part 33 under section 142C.4.

34 d. REVOCATION BY ANOTHER NOT PROHIBITIVE OF OTHER 35 GIFT. A revocation of an anatomical gift of a donor's 36 body or part under subsection 3 by a person other than 37 the donor does not prohibit another person from making 38 an anatomical gift of the body or part under 39 subsection 2 or section 142C.4.

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e. GIFT OF PART NOT PROHIBITIVE OF GIFT OF ANOTHER 41 PART. In the absence of a contrary indication by the 42 donor or other person authorized to make an anatomical 43 gift under subsection 1, an anatomical gift of a part 44 is neither a refusal to donate another part nor a 45 limitation on the making of an anatomical gift of 46 another part at a later time by the donor or another 47 authorized person.

f. GIFT FOR ONE PURPOSE NOT PROHIBITIVE OF ANOTHER 49 PURPOSE. In the absence of a contrary indication by 50 the donor or other person authorized to make an 1 anatomical gift under subsection 1, an anatomical gift 2 of a part for one or more of the purposes specified in 3 subsection 1 is not a limitation on the making of an 4 anatomical gift of the part for any of the other 5 purposes by the donor or any other person under 6 subsection 2 or section 142C.4.

UNEMANCIPATED MINOR GIFT == PARENT REVOCATION. g. 8 If a donor who is an unemancipated minor dies, a 9 parent of the donor who is reasonably available may 10 revoke or amend an anatomical gift of the donor's body 11 or part.

h. UNEMANCIPATED MINOR REFUSAL == PARENT 8 13 REVOCATION OR AMENDMENT. If an unemancipated minor 14 who signed a refusal dies, a parent of the minor who 15 is reasonably available may revoke the minor's 16 refusal.

Sec. 4. Section 142C.4, Code 2007, is amended by 18 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 19 following:

142C.4 WHO MAY MAKE ANATOMICAL GIFT OF DECEDENT'S 21 BODY OR PART == AMENDING OR REVOKING GIFT.

22 1. Subject to subsection 2, and unless prohibited 23 by section 142C.3, subsection 4 or 5, an anatomical 24 gift of a decedent's body or part for purposes of 25 transplantation, therapy, research, or education may 26 be made by any member of the following classes of 27 persons who is reasonably available, in the order of 28 priority listed.

29 An agent of the decedent at the time of death 30 who could have made an anatomical gift under section 31 142C.3, subsection 1, immediately before the 32 decedent's death.

b. The spouse of the decedent.

- c. Adult children of the decedent.
- Parents of the decedent. d.
- e. Adult siblings of the decedent.
 - Adult grandchildren of the decedent.
- g. Grandparents of the decedent.
- 39 h. An adult who exhibited special care and concern 8 40 for the decedent.
- 8 41 i. Any persons who were acting as guardians of the
 - 42 decedent at the time of death.
 43 j. Any other person having the authority to 43
- 44 dispose of the decedent's body. 8 45 2. a. If there is more than one member of a class
- 8 46 listed in subsection 1, paragraph "a", "c", "d", "e", 8 47 "f", "g", or "i", entitled to make an anatomical gift, 8 48 an anatomical gift may be made by one member of the

49 class unless that member or a person to whom the gift 50 may pass under section 142C.5 knows of an objection by 1 another member of the class. If an objection is 2 known, the gift shall be made only by a majority of 3 the members of the class who are reasonably available.

b. A person shall not make an anatomical gift if, 5 at the time of the death of the decedent, a person in a prior class under subsection 1 is reasonably 7 available to make or to object to the making of an 8 anatomical gift.

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- 3. A person authorized to make an anatomical gift 10 under subsection 1 may make an anatomical gift by a 11 document of gift signed by the person making the gift 12 or by the person's oral communication that is 13 electronically recorded or is contemporaneously 14 reduced to a record and signed by the recipient of the 15 oral communication.
- 4. Subject to subsection 5, an anatomical gift by 17 a person authorized under subsection 1 may be amended 18 or revoked orally or in a record by any member of the 19 prior class who is reasonably available. If more than 20 one member of the prior class is reasonably available, If more than 21 the gift made by a person authorized under subsection 22 1 may be:
- Amended only if a majority of the reasonably a. 24 available members agree to the amending of the gift.
- b. Revoked only if a majority of the reasonably 26 available members agree to the revoking of the gift or 27 if they are equally divided as to whether to revoke 28 the gift.
- 5. A revocation under subsection 4 is effective 30 only if, before an incision has been made to remove a 31 part from the donor's body or before invasive 32 procedures have begun to prepare the recipient, the 33 procurement organization, transplant hospital, or 34 physician or technician knows of the revocation. 35
- Sec. 5. Section 142C.4A, Code 2007, is amended by 36 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 37 following:
- 38 142C.4A COOPERATION BETWEEN MEDICAL EXAMINER AND 39 ORGAN PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATION == FACILITATION OF 40 ANATOMICAL GIFT FROM DECEDENT WHOSE BODY IS UNDER 41 JURISDICTION OF MEDICAL EXAMINER.
- 1. A medical examiner shall cooperate with 43 procurement organizations to maximize the opportunity 44 to recover organs for the purpose of transplantation 45 when the recovery of organs does not interfere with a 46 death investigation.
- If a medical examiner receives notice from a 48 procurement organization that an organ might be or was 49 made available with respect to a decedent whose body 50 is under the jurisdiction of the medical examiner and 1 a postmortem examination will be performed, unless the 2 medical examiner denies recovery in accordance with 3 this section, the medical examiner or designee shall 4 conduct a postmortem examination of the body or the 5 organ in a manner and within a period compatible with 6 its preservation for the purposes of the gift. End 7 reasonable effort shall be made to accomplish the 8 mutual goals of organ donation and a thorough death investigation.
- 3. An organ shall not be removed from the body of 10 11 a decedent under the jurisdiction of a medical 10 12 examiner for transplantation unless the organ is the 10 13 subject of an anatomical gift. This subsection does 10 14 not preclude a medical examiner from performing a 10 15 medicolegal investigation pursuant to subsection 5 10 16 upon the body or organs of a decedent under the 10 17 jurisdiction of the medical examiner.
- 4. Upon request of an organ procurement 10 18 10 19 organization, a medical examiner shall release to the 20 organ procurement organization the name and contact 10 21 information of a decedent whose body is under the 10 22 jurisdiction of the medical examiner. If the 23 decedent's organs are medically suitable for 10 24 transplantation, the pathologist or medical examiner 10 25 shall release to the organ procurement organization 10 26 the postmortem examination results, limited to cause 27 and manner of death and any evidence of infection or 10 28 other disease process, which might preclude safe

10 29 transplantation of recovered organs. The organ

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The medical examiner may conduct a medicolegal 10 34 examination by reviewing all medical records, 10 35 laboratory test results, X rays, other diagnostic 10 36 results, and other information that any person possesses about a donor or prospective donor whose 10 38 body is under the jurisdiction of the medical 10 39 examiner, which the medical examiner determines may be 10 40 relevant to the investigation.

6. A person who has any information requested by a 10 41 10 42 medical examiner pursuant to subsection 5 shall 10 43 provide that information as expeditiously as possible 10 44 to allow the medical examiner to conduct the 10 45 medicolegal investigation within a period compatible 10 46 with the preservation of organs for the purpose of 10 47 transplantation.

7. If an anatomical gift has been or might be made 10 49 of an organ of a decedent whose body is under the 10 50 jurisdiction of the medical examiner and a postmortem 1 examination is not required, or the medical examiner 2 determines that a postmortem examination is required 3 but that the recovery of the organ that is the subject 4 of an anatomical gift will not interfere with the 5 examination, the medical examiner and organ 6 procurement organization shall cooperate in the timely 7 removal of the organ from the decedent for the purpose 8 of transplantation.

8. a. If an anatomical gift of an organ from a 11 10 decedent under the jurisdiction of the medical 11 11 examiner has been or might be made, but the 11 12 pathologist or medical examiner initially believes 11 13 that the recovery of the organ could interfere with 14 the postmortem investigation into the decedent's cause 11 15 or manner of death, the pathologist or medical 11 16 examiner shall consult with the organ procurement 17 organization or physician or technician designated by 11 18 the organ procurement organization about the proposed 11 19 recovery.

11 20 b. Ancillary clinical tests such as a magnetic 21 resonance imaging (MRI), a computed tomography (CT) 11 22 scan, or skeletal survey may be required by the 11 23 pathologist prior to determination of suitability of 11 24 organ procurement. These tests shall be performed and 11 25 interpreted by the appropriate physician at the 11 26 pathologist's request, and reported in a timely 27 fashion. All expenses for such tests shall be the 11 28 responsibility of the organ procurement organization 11 29 regardless of outcome.

11 30 c. After consultation pursuant to paragraph "a" 31 and any preliminary investigation pursuant to 11 32 paragraph "b", the pathologist or medical examiner may 11 33 allow recovery, depending on the nature of the case 34 and the availability of a pathologist to view the body 11 35 prior to recovery.

9. If the manner of death may be homicide or has 37 the potential for litigation, the organ recovery shall 38 be approved by the forensic pathologist, and the 11 39 forensic pathologist may examine the body prior to 11 40 organ recovery and document by diagrams and 11 41 photographs all visible injuries.

10. a. If the medical examiner or designee allows 11 42 11 43 recovery of an organ under subsection 7, 8, or 9, the 11 44 organ procurement organization, upon request, shall 11 45 cause the physician or technician who removes the 11 46 organ to provide the medical examiner with a record 11 47 describing the condition of the organ, a biopsy, a 11 48 photograph, and any other information and observations 11 49 that would assist in the postmortem examination.

11 50 Arrangements for the examination of bodies of b. 1 such decedents shall be coordinated between the organ 2 procurement organization and the state medical 3 examiner.

12 4 c. If applicable, and whenever possible, the 5 forensic pathologist who examined the decedent's body 12 12 12 6 prior to recovery of the organ shall perform the 7 autopsy. If the forensic pathologist is unable to 8 accommodate examination of the body due to scheduling 12 12 9 or staffing, the request for organ donation may be 12 10 denied.

- 11. If a medical examiner or designee is required 12 12 to be present at a removal procedure under subsection 12 13 9, upon request, the organ procurement organization 12 14 requesting the recovery of the organ shall reimburse 12 15 the medical examiner or designee for the additional 12 16 costs incurred in complying with subsection 9.
- 12 17 12. A physician or technician who removes an organ 12 18 at the direction of the organ procurement organization 12 19 may be called to testify about findings from the 12 20 surgical recovery of organs at no cost to taxpayers if 12 21 the decedent is under the jurisdiction of the medical 12 22 examiner.
- 12 23 13. a. The medical examiner or pathologist with 12 24 jurisdiction over the body of a decedent has 12 25 discretion to grant or deny permission for organ or 12 26 tissue recovery.
- 12 27 b. If the recovery of organs or tissues may hinder 12 28 the determination of cause or manner of death or if 12 29 evidence may be destroyed by the recovery, permission 12 30 may be denied.
- The medical examiner or a pathologist c. 12 32 performing state autopsies shall work closely with 12 33 procurement organizations in an effort to balance the 12 34 needs of the public and the decedent's next of kin.
 12 35 Sec. 6. Section 142C.5, Code 2007, is amended by
- 12 36 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 12 37 following:
- PERSONS WHO MAY RECEIVE ANATOMICAL GIFTS 142C.5 12 39 AND PURPOSES FOR WHICH ANATOMICAL GIFTS MAY BE MADE.
- 1. An anatomical gift may be made to the following 12 41 persons named in a document of gift:
- a. A hospital, accredited medical or osteopathic 12 43 medical school, dental school, college, or university, 12 44 organ procurement organization, or other appropriate 12 45 person for research or education.
 - b. An eye bank or tissue bank.

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- Subject to subsection 2, an individual 12 48 designated by the person making the anatomical gift if 12 49 the individual is the recipient of the part.
 - 2. If an anatomical gift to an individual under 1 subsection 1, paragraph "c", cannot be transplanted into the individual, the part passes in accordance 3 with subsection 7 in the absence of an express, 4 contrary indication by the person making the 5 anatomical gift.
- 3. If an anatomical gift of one or more specific 7 parts or of all parts is made in a document of gift that does not name a person described in subsection 1 9 but identifies the purpose for which an anatomical 13 10 gift may be used, the following rules apply:
- 13 11 a. If the part is an eye and the gift is for the 13 12 purpose of transplantation or therapy, the gift passes 13 13 to the appropriate eye bank.
- 13 14 b. If the part is tissue and the gift is for the 13 15 purpose of transplantation or therapy, the gift passes 13 16 to the appropriate tissue bank.
- 13 17 c. If the part is an organ and the gift is for the 13 18 purpose of transplantation or therapy, the gift passes 13 19 to the appropriate organ procurement organization as 13 20 custodian of the organ.
- 13 21 d. If the part is an organ, an eye, or tissue and 13 22 the gift is for the purpose of research or education, 13 23 the gift passes to the appropriate procurement 13 24 organization.
- For the purpose of subsection 3, if there is 13 26 more than one purpose of an anatomical gift set forth 13 27 in the document of gift but the purposes are not set 13 28 forth in any priority, the gift shall be used for 29 transplantation or therapy, if suitable. If the gift 13 30 cannot be used for transplantation or therapy, the 13 31 gift may be used for research or education.
- 13 If an anatomical gift of one or more specific 13 33 parts is made in a document of gift that does not name 13 34 a person described in subsection 1 and does not 13 35 identify the purpose of the gift, the gift may be used 13 36 only for transplantation or therapy, and the gift 13 37 passes in accordance with subsection 7.
- 13 38 6. If a document of gift specifies only a general 13 39 intent to make an anatomical gift by words such as 13 40 "donor", "organ donor", or "body donor", or by a
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13 42 used only for transplantation or therapy, and the gift

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13 43 passes in accordance with subsection 7. 7. For the purposes of subsections 2, 5, and 6, 13 44

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- 13 48 b. If the part is tissue, the gift passes to the 13 49 appropriate tissue bank.
 - c. If the part is an organ, the gift passes to the 1 appropriate organ procurement organization as custodian of the organ.
 - 8. An anatomical gift of an organ for 4 transplantation or therapy, other than an anatomical gift under subsection 1, paragraph "c", passes to the organ procurement organization as custodian of the organ.
- 9. If an anatomical gift does not pass pursuant to 9 subsections 1 through 8, or the decedent's body or 14 10 part is not used for transplantation, therapy, 14 11 research, or education, custody of the body or part 14 12 passes to the person under obligation to dispose of 14 13 the body or part.
- 14 14 10. A person shall not accept an anatomical gift 14 15 if the person knows that the gift was not effectively 14 16 made under section 142C.3, subsection 2, or section 14 17 142C.4, or if the person knows that the decedent made 14 18 a refusal under section 142C.3, subsection 4, that was For purposes of this subsection, if a 19 not revoked. 14 20 person knows that an anatomical gift was made on a 14 21 document of gift, the person is deemed to know of any 14 22 amendment or revocation of the gift or any refusal to 14 23 make an anatomical gift on the same document of gift.
- 14 24 11. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 1, 14 25 paragraph "c", nothing in this chapter shall affect 14 26 the allocation of organs for transplantation or 14 27 therapy. 14 28 Sec. 7.

NEW SECTION. 142C.5A SEARCH AND 14 29 NOTIFICATION.

- 1. The following persons shall make a reasonable 14 31 search of an individual who the person reasonably 14 32 believes is dead or near death for a document of gift 14 33 or other information identifying the individual as a 14 34 donor or as an individual who made a refusal:
- a. A law enforcement officer, fire fighter, 14 35 $14\ 36\ paramedic$, or other emergency rescuer finding the $14\ 37\ individual$.
- 14 38 b. If no other source of the information is 14 39 immediately available, a hospital, as soon as 14 40 practical after the individual's arrival at the 14 41 hospital.
- If a document of gift or a refusal to make an 14 42 2. 14 43 anatomical gift is located by the search required by 14 44 subsection I, paragraph "a", and the individual or 14 45 deceased individual to whom it relates is taken to a 14 46 hospital, the person responsible for conducting the 14 47 search shall deliver the document of gift or refusal 14 48 to the hospital.
- A person is not subject to criminal or civil 14 50 liability for failing to discharge the duties imposed 1 by this section but may be subject to administrative 2 sanctions.
 - Sec. 8. Section 142C.6, Code 2007, is amended by 4 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 5 following:
 - DELIVERY OF DOCUMENT OF GIFT NOT REQUIRED 142C.6 7 == RIGHT TO EXAMINE.
 - 1. A document of gift does not require delivery 9 during the donor's lifetime to be effective.
- 15 10 2. Upon or after an individual's death, a person 15 11 in possession of the document of gift or a refusal to 15 12 make an anatomical gift with respect to the individual 13 shall allow examination and copying of the document of 15 14 gift or the refusal by a person authorized to make or 15 15 object to the making of an anatomical gift with 15 16 respect to the individual or by a person to whom the 15 17 gift could pass under section 142C.5.
- Section 142C.7, Code 2007, is amended by 15 18 Sec. 9. 15 19 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 15 20 following:
- 15 21 142C.7 CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION.
- A hospital, licensed or certified health care

15 23 professional pursuant to chapter 148, 148C, 150A, or 15 24 152, or medical examiner may release patient 15 25 information to a procurement organization as part of a 15 26 referral or retrospective review of the patient as a 15 27 potential donor. Any information regarding a patient, 15 28 including the patient's identity, however, constitutes 15 29 confidential medical information and under any other 15 30 circumstances is prohibited from disclosure without 15 31 the written consent of the patient or the patient's 15 32 legal representative. 15

Sec. 10. Section 142C.8, Code 2007, is amended by 15 34 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 15 35 following:

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142C.8 RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF PROCUREMENT 15 37 ORGANIZATIONS AND DONORS.

- 15 38 1. When a hospital refers an individual at or near 15 39 death to a procurement organization, the procurement 15 40 organization shall make a reasonable search of the 15 41 records of the state department of transportation and 15 42 any donor registry that the hospital knows exists for 15 43 the geographical area in which the individual resides 15 44 to ascertain whether the individual has made an 15 45 anatomical gift. 15 46
- 2. A procurement organization shall be allowed 15 47 reasonable access to information in the records of the 15 48 state department of transportation to ascertain 15 49 whether an individual at or near death is a donor.
- When a hospital refers an individual at or near 1 death to a procurement organization, the procurement 2 organization may conduct any reasonable examination 3 necessary to ensure the medical suitability of a part 4 that is or could be the subject of an anatomical gift 5 for transplantation, therapy, research, or education 6 from a donor or a prospective donor. During the examination period, measures necessary to ensure the 8 medical suitability of the part shall not be withdrawn 9 unless the hospital or procurement organization knows 16 10 that the individual expressed a contrary intent.
- 4. Unless prohibited by law other than this 16 11 16 12 chapter, at any time after a donor's death, the person 16 13 to whom a part passes under section 142C.5 may conduct 16 14 any reasonable examination necessary to ensure the 16 15 medical suitability of the body or part for its 16 16 intended purpose. 17
- 5. Unless prohibited by law other than this 16 18 chapter, an examination under subsection 3 or 4 may 16 19 include an examination of all medical and dental 20 records of the donor or prospective donor.
 21 6. Upon the death of a minor who was a donor or
- 16 22 had signed a refusal, unless a procurement 16 23 organization knows the minor is emancipated, the 24 procurement organization shall conduct a reasonable 16 25 search for the parents of the minor and provide the 16 26 parents with an opportunity to revoke or amend the 27 anatomical gift or revoke the refusal.
- 7. Upon referral by a hospital under subsection 1, 16 28 16 29 a procurement organization shall make a reasonable 30 search for any person listed in section 142C.4 having 31 priority to make an anatomical gift on behalf of a 16 32 prospective donor. If a procurement organization 16 33 receives information that an anatomical gift to any 34 other person was made, amended, or revoked, 16 35 procurement organization shall promptly advise the 16 36 other person of all relevant information.
- 16 37 8. Subject to section 142C.5, subsection 9, the 16 38 rights of a person to whom a part passes under section 16 39 142C.5 are superior to the rights of all other persons 16 40 with respect to the part.
- 16 41 The person may accept or reject an anatomical 16 42 gift in whole or in part. Subject to the terms of the 16 43 document of gift and this chapter, a person who 16 44 accepts an anatomical gift of an entire body may allow 16 45 embalming, burial or cremation, and use of the remains 16 46 in a funeral service. If the gift is of a part, the 16 47 person to whom the part passes under section 142C.5, 16 48 upon the death of the donor and prior to embalming, 16 49 burial, or cremation, shall cause the part to be 16 50 removed without unnecessary mutilation.
 - The physician who attends the decedent at death and the physician who determines the time of 3 death shall not participate in the procedures for

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    4 removing or transplanting a part from the decedent.
         11. A physician or technician may remove a donated
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    6 part from the body of a donor that the physician or
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    7 technician is qualified to remove.
          Sec. 11. Section 142C.9, Code 2007, is amended by
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   9 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the
17 10 following:
                   COORDINATION OF PROCUREMENT AND USE.
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          Each hospital in the state shall enter into
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17 13 agreements or affiliations with procurement
17 14 organizations for coordination of procurement and use
17 15 of anatomical gifts.
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          Sec. 12. Section 142C.10, Code 2007, is amended by
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   17 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the
17 18 following:
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                    SALE OR PURCHASE OF PARTS PROHIBITED ==
17 20 PENALTY.
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          1. A person shall not knowingly, for valuable
17 22 consideration, purchase or sell a part for
17 23 transplantation or therapy, if removal of the part is
17 24 intended to occur after the death of the decedent.
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          2. Valuable consideration does not include
17 26 reasonable payment for the removal, processing,
   27 preservation, quality control, storage,
28 transportation, implantation, or disposal of a part.
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        3. A person who violates this section is guilty of
17 30 a class "C" felony.
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                                    142C.10A OTHER PROHIBITED
17 32 ACTS == PENALTY.
          A person who, in order to obtain a financial gain,
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17 34 intentionally falsifies, forges, conceals, defaces, or 17 35 obliterates a document of gift, an amendment or
17 36 revocation of a document of gift, or a refusal,
   37 commits a class "C" felony.
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          Sec. 14. Section 142C.11, Code 2007, is amended by
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17 39 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the
17 40 following:
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          142C.11
                    IMMUNITY.
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          1. A person who complies with this chapter in good
17 43 faith or with the applicable anatomical gift law of
17 44 another state, or who attempts in good faith to 17 45 comply, is immune from liability in any civil action,
17 46 criminal prosecution, or administrative proceeding.
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          2. An individual who makes an anatomical gift
17 48 pursuant to this chapter and the individual's estate
17 49 are not liable for any injury or damages that may
17 50 result from the making or the use of the anatomical
    1 gift, if the gift is made in good faith.
2 3. In determining whether an anatomical gift has
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    3 been made, amended, or revoked under this chapter, a
    4 person may rely upon representations of an individual
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    5 listed in section 142C.4, subsection 1, paragraph "b",
      "c", "d", "e", "f", "g", or "h", relating to the individual's relationship to the donor or prospective
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    8 donor unless the person knows that the representation
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    9 is untrue.
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                     NEW SECTION. 142C.12A LAW GOVERNING
18 11 VALIDITY, CHOICE OF LAW, PRESUMPTION OF VALIDITY.
18 12 1. A document of gift is valid if executed in
18 13 accordance with any of the following:
          a. This chapter.
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          b.
              The laws of the state or country where the
18 16 document of gift was executed.
          c. The laws of the state or country where the
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18 18 person making the anatomical gift was domiciled, has a 18 19 place of residence, or was a national at the time the
18 20 document of gift was executed.
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         2. If a document of gift is valid under this
18 22 section, the law of this state governs the
18 23 interpretation of the document of gift.
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          3. A person may presume that a document of gift or
18 25 amendment of an anatomical gift is valid unless that
18 26 person knows that it was not validly executed or was
18 27 revoked.
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                     NEW SECTION.
                                     142C.12B
                                               EFFECT OF
18 29 ANATOMICAL GIFT ON ADVANCE HEALTH CARE DIRECTIVE.
         1. As used in this section:
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              "Advance health care directive" means a durable
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18 32 power of attorney for health care pursuant to chapter
18 33 144B or a record signed or authorized by a prospective
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18 34 donor containing the prospective donor's direction

18 35 concerning a health care decision for the prospective 18 36 donor. "Declaration" means a record signed by a 18 37 b. 18 38 prospective donor specifying the circumstances under 18 39 which a life support system may be withheld or 18 40 withdrawn from the prospective donor. 18 41 "Health care decision" means any decision c. 18 42 regarding the health care of the prospective donor. 18 43 2. a. If a prospective donor has a declaration or 18 44 advance health care directive and the terms of the 18 45 declaration or directive and the express or implied 18 46 terms of a potential anatomical gift are in conflict 18 47 with regard to the administration of measures 18 48 necessary to ensure the medical suitability of a part 18 49 for transplantation or therapy, the prospective 18 50 donor's attending physician and prospective donor 19 1 shall confer to resolve the conflict. 19 If the prospective donor is incapable of 3 resolving the conflict, an agent acting under the 19 19 4 prospective donor's declaration or directive or, if no 19 5 agent exists or the agent is not reasonably available, 6 another person, authorized by law other than this 19 19 7 chapter to make health care decisions on behalf of the 8 prospective donor, shall act for the donor to resolve 9 the conflict. The agent or other person shall resolve 19 19 19 10 the conflict consistent with the desires of the donor 19 11 as expressed in a declaration executed in accordance 19 12 with chapter 144A, or a durable power of attorney for 19 13 health care executed in accordance with chapter 144B, 19 14 or as otherwise known, or if not known, consistent 19 15 with the donor's best interest. 19 16 c. The conflict shall be resolved as expeditiously 19 17 as possible. 19 18 d. Information relevant to the resolution of the 19 19 conflict may be obtained from the appropriate 19 20 procurement organization and any other person 19 21 authorized to make an anatomical gift for the 19 22 prospective donor under section 142C.4. Prior to 19 23 resolution of the conflict, measures necessary to 19 24 ensure the medical suitability of the part shall not 19 25 be withheld or withdrawn from the prospective donor if 19 26 withholding or withdrawing the measures is not 19 27 contraindicated by appropriate end=of=life care. 19 28 Sec. 17. Section 142C.13, Code 2007, is amended by 19 29 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 19 30 following: 19 31 142C.13 TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS. 19 This chapter applies to an anatomical gift, or 19 33 amendment to, revocation of, or refusal to make an 19 34 anatomical gift whenever made. Sec. 18. Section 142C.14, Code 2007, is amended by 19 35 19 36 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 19 37 following: 19 38 142C.14 UNIFORMITY OF APPLICATION AND 19 39 CONSTRUCTION. This chapter shall be applied and construed with 19 40 19 41 consideration given to the need to promote uniformity 19 42 of the law with respect to anatomical gifts among 19 43 states, which enact this law. 19 44 Sec. 19. NEW SECTION. 142C.14A ELECTRONIC 19 45 SIGNATURES. This chapter modifies, limits, and supersedes the 19 46 19 47 federal Electronic Signatures in Global and National 19 48 Commerce Act, 15 U.S.C. } 7001 et seq., but does not 19 49 modify, limit, or authorize electronic delivery of any 19 50 of the notices described in } 103(b) of that Act, 15 1 U.S.C. } 7003(b).

2 Sec. 20. Section 142C.15, subsection 4, paragraph 3 a, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows: 20 20 20 a. Not more than twenty percent of the moneys in 2.0 5 the fund annually may be expended in the form of 2.0 20 6 grants to state agencies or to nonprofit legal 7 entities with an interest in anatomical gift public 20 20 8 awareness and transplantation to conduct public 20 9 awareness projects. Moneys remaining that were not 20 10 requested and awarded for public awareness projects 20 11 may be used for research, or to develop and support a 20 12 statewide organ and tissue the Iowa donor registry. 20 13 Grants shall be made based upon the submission of a 20 14 grant application by an agency or entity to conduct a 20 15 public awareness project or to research, or develop

20 16 and support a statewide organ and tissue donor $\frac{20}{17}$ registry. Section 142C.16, subsection 1, paragraph 20 18 Sec. 21 20 19 e, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows: e. A bank or storage procurement organization. Sec. 22. Section 142C.16, subsection 1, Code 2007, 20 21 20 22 is amended by adding the following new paragraph: 20 23 NEW PARAGRAPH. k. The state medical examiner. 20 24 Sec. 23. Section 142C.16, subsection 2, Code 2007, 20 25 is amended to read as follows: 2. Members shall serve staggered terms of two 20 26 20 27 years. Appointments of members of the committee shall 20 28 comply with sections <u>section</u> 69.16 and <u>but are not</u> 20 29 subject to section 69.16A. Vacancies shall be filled 20 30 by the original appointing authority and in the manner 20 31 of the original appointment. 20 32 Sec. 24. Section 142C.18, Code 2007, is amended by 20 33 striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the 20 34 following: 20 35 142C.18 IOWA DONOR REGISTRY. 20 36 1. The director of public health shall contract 20 37 with and recognize the Iowa donor registry for the 20 38 purpose of indicating on the donor registry all 20 39 relevant information regarding a donor's making or 20 40 amending of an anatomical gift The state department of transportation shall 20 41 2. . 20 42 cooperate with a person that administers the Iowa 20 43 donor registry for the purpose of transferring to the 20 44 donor registry all relevant information regarding a 20 45 donor's making of an anatomical gift. 20 46 3. The Iowa donor registry shall do all of the 20 47 following: 20 48 a. Allow a donor or other person authorized under 20 49 section 142C.3 to include on the donor registry a 20 50 statement or symbol that the donor has made or amended 1 an anatomical gift. 21 2.1 b. Be accessible to a procurement organization to 21 3 allow the procurement organization to obtain relevant 21 4 information on the donor registry to determine, at or 21 5 near the death of the donor or a prospective donor, 21 6 whether the donor or prospective donor has made, 2.1 7 amended, or revoked an anatomical gift. 21 c. Be accessible for purposes of paragraphs "a" 9 and "b" seven days a week on a twenty=four=hour per 2.1 21 10 day basis. 21 11 d. Provide a centralized, automated system to 21 12 compile donation information received by the state 13 department of transportation, county treasurers, and 21 21 14 the Iowa donor network. 21 15 e. Provide educational materials regarding the 21 16 making, amending, or revoking of an anatomical gift or 21 17 a refusal to make an anatomical gift. 21 18 4. Personally identifiable information on the 21 19 donor registry about a donor or prospective donor 20 shall not be used or disclosed without the express 21 21 consent of the donor, prospective donor, or person 21 22 that made the anatomical gift for any purpose other 21 23 than to determine, at or near the death of the donor 21 24 or prospective donor, whether the donor or prospective 21 25 donor has made, amended, or revoked an anatomical 21 26 gift. 21 27 DIVISION II CONFORMING AMENDMENTS 21 28 29 Sec. 25. Section 141A.7, subsection 2, paragraph 30 a, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows: 21 29 21 a. The performance by a health care provider or 21 31 21 32 health facility of an HIV=related test when the health 21 33 care provider or health facility procures, processes, 21 34 distributes, or uses a human body part donated for a 21 35 purpose specified under the revised uniform anatomical 21 36 gift Act as provided in chapter 142C, or semen 21 37 provided prior to July 1, 1988, for the purpose of 21 38 artificial insemination, or donations of blood, and 21 39 such test is necessary to ensure medical acceptability 21 40 of such gift or semen for the purposes intended. Section 142.4, unnumbered paragraph 2, 21 41 Sec. 26. 21 42 Code 2007, is amended to read as follows: 21 43 This section shall not apply to bodies given under 21 44 authority of the revised uniform anatomical gift Act

21 45 as provided in chapter 142C.

Sec. 27. Section 142.8, unnumbered paragraph 2,

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21 47 Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:
           This section shall not apply to bodies given under
21 49 authority of the <u>revised</u> uniform anatomical gift Act
21 50 as provided in chapter 142C.
22 1 Sec. 28. Section 321.178, subsection 1, paragraph
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    2 a, subparagraph (3), Code 2007, is amended to read as
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     3 follows:
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           (3) Instruction relating to becoming an organ
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    5 donor under the <u>revised</u> uniform anatomical gift Act as
     6 provided in chapter 142C.
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           Sec. 29. Section 321.189, subsection 4, Code 2007,
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22 9 4. SYMBOLS. Upon the request of a licensee, the 22 10 department shall indicate on the license the presence 22 11 of a medical condition, that the licensee is a donor
22 12 under the revised uniform anatomical gift Act as
22 13 provided in chapter 142C, or that the licensee has in 22 14 effect a medical advance directive. For purposes of
22 15 this subsection, a medical advance directive includes,
22 16 but is not limited to, a valid durable power of
22 17 attorney for health care as defined in section 144B.1.
22 18 The license may contain such other information as the
22 19 department may require by rule.>
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